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SUBJECT:PL-480 TITLE I SALES AGREEMENT WITH GUINEA

REF: A) STATE 080121; B) CONAKRY 0504; C) CONAKRY 0499;
D) CONAKRY 0500;

1. AMBASSADOR BAH SPOKE WITH AF/W APRIL 7, AND AGAIN APRIL 14 TO PARALLEL GOG DEMARCHE IN CONAKRY ASKING FOR VEGETABLE OIL UNDER FY-75 PL-480 PROGRAM. HE PRESENTED DEPARTMENT WITH COPIES OF CABLES HE HAD RECEIVED FROM MINISTERS DIAKITE AND CISSOKO UNDERLINING GUINEAN NEED FOR OIL. AMBASSADOR BAH, ON BOTH OCCASIONS, WAS TOLD IT VIRTUALLY IMPOSSIBLE TO EXPECT OIL UNDER CURRENT PROGRAM FOR REASONS EXPLAINED IN REF A.

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2. REGARDING REF D, CALCULATION FOR WHEAT FLOUR LEVEL,

REGRET CONFUSION WHICH APPEARS TO HAVE ARISEN IN UNDER-
STANDING OF ALLOCATION PROCESS. ALLOCATIONS FOR ALL
COUNTRIES ARE MADE IN TERMS OF WHEAT GRAIN, REGARDLESS
WHETHER SHIPMENTS ARE IN FLOUR OR GRAIN. FOR GUINEA,
FY-75 ALLOCATION IS 10,000 MT WHEAT; SINCE GUINEA CAN USE
ONLY WHEAT FLOUR, AGREEMENT WILL SPECIFY THE AMOUNT OF
FLOUR WHICH CAN BE MILLED FROM 10,000 MT WHEAT GRAIN,

IE (AT 75 PERCENT EXTRACTION RATE), 7,500 MT WHEAT FLOUR.
GUINEAN OFFICIALS FAMILIAR WITH OUR PL-480 PROGRAMS
SHOULD NOT BE SURPRISED BY THIS METHOD OF CALCULATING
WHEAT ALLOTMENTS, AS IT HAS BEEN STANDARD USED FOR ALL
PREVIOUS PL-480 WHEAT SHIPMENTS TO GUINEA.

3. REGARDING REF C, FIVE COPIES CERTIFIED FRENCH
TRANSLATION STANDARD PART I OF AGREEMENT TEXT BEING
POUCHED APRIL 17. ALTHOUGH WE RECOGNIZE POUCH WILL TAKE
LONGER THAN TELEGRAPH, BELIEVE LENGTH AND RISK OF ERRORS
MAKE TELEGRAPHING FRENCH TEXT INADVISABLE.

4. SEPTEL FOLLOWS REGARDING AVAILABILITY OF PEANUTS FOR
FY-75 PROGRAM (REF. D, PARA 4). KISSINGER

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